gravity or discretion to those matters laid to his charge; his contemptuous disobedience of her Majesty's letters and will in returning , his presumptuous letters written from tune to time his proceedings in Ireland contrary to the points resohed upon ere he went, his rash manner of coming a^ay from Ireknd, his overbold going yesterday to her Majesty's presence to her bedchamber > his making of so many idle knights After the Earl's corning from the Lords, he went again to his chamber where as yet he continues captive The Lords sat a quarter of an hour after and then went all to the Queen and delivered unto her what had passed But her answer was that she would pause and consider of her answers

Afterwards my Lord of Essex was commanded from Court and committed to my Lord Keeper's, he is now come to London to York House in my Lord of Worcester's coach. At his going from Court few or none of his friends accompanied him

My Lord's sudden return brings all sorts of knights, captains, officers and soldiers from thence that the City is full of them, to the great discontent of her Majesty that they are suffered to leave their charge But the most part of the gallants have quitted their commands, places and companies, not willing to stay there after him, so that the disorder seems to be greater there than stands with the safety of that service

To-day the two factions show themselves in Coiirt, for Master Secretary went to dinner accompanied with the Earl of Shrewsbury and the Lord Admiral, the Lords Thomas Howard and Cobham, the Lord Grey, Sir Walter Ralegh and Sir George Carew And with the Earl of Essex went the Earls of Worcester and Rutland, the Lords Mountjoy and Rich, Lord

Lumley, the Controller and many knights

It is a world to see the humours of the time, which is now so full of danger that a man must take good heed of what he say or write

1st October THE SABBATARIAN DOCTRINE

These last years the Disciplinarians have made but little stir, but now they go about to preach the doctrine of Jewish Sabbath keeping, which was first put forth by one Bound in